

HISTORIC SITE
SURVEY INVENTORY

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST WORKSHEET

G-II-001

NOMINATION FORM
for the
NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES, NATIONAL PARKS SERVICE

SEE INSTRUCTIONS

1. NAME				
COMMON: frame house north of Grantsville				
AND/OR HISTORIC:				
2. LOCATION				
STREET AND NUMBER: Maryland Route 669, Springs Road, .9 mile north of U.S. Rt. 40				
CITY OR TOWN: North of Grantsville				
STATE: Maryland			COUNTY: Garrett	
3. CLASSIFICATION				
CATEGORY (Check One) <input type="checkbox"/> District <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Building <input type="checkbox"/> Site <input type="checkbox"/> Structure <input type="checkbox"/> Object		OWNERSHIP <input type="checkbox"/> Public <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> Bath		STATUS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Occupied <input type="checkbox"/> Unoccupied <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation work in progress
		Public Acquisition: <input type="checkbox"/> In Process <input type="checkbox"/> Being Considered	ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted <input type="checkbox"/> Unrestricted <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)				
<input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial <input type="checkbox"/> Educational <input type="checkbox"/> Entertainment	<input type="checkbox"/> Government <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial <input type="checkbox"/> Military <input type="checkbox"/> Museum	<input type="checkbox"/> Park <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private Residence <input type="checkbox"/> Religious <input type="checkbox"/> Scientific	<input type="checkbox"/> Transportation <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____ _____ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Comments _____ _____ _____
4. OWNER OF PROPERTY				
OWNER'S NAME: Olen E. Schrock				
STREET AND NUMBER: Route 1, Box 101				
CITY OR TOWN: Grantsville			STATE: Maryland	
5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION				
COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.: Garrett County Courthouse				
STREET AND NUMBER: Third and Alder Streets				
CITY OR TOWN: Oakland			STATE: Maryland	
Title Reference of Current Deed (Book & Pg. #): 231-84				
6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS				
TITLE OF SURVEY:				
DATE OF SURVEY:				
DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS: <input type="checkbox"/> Federal <input type="checkbox"/> State <input type="checkbox"/> County <input type="checkbox"/> Local				
STREET AND NUMBER:				
CITY OR TOWN:			STATE:	

7. DESCRIPTION						
CONDITION	(Check One)					
	<input type="checkbox"/> Excellent	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Fair	<input type="checkbox"/> Deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> Ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> Unexposed
	(Check One)		(Check One)			
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Altered		<input type="checkbox"/> Uncolored		<input type="checkbox"/> Moved	
					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original Site	
DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (if known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE						
<p>Located about .9 mile north of U.S. Route 40 at Grantsville, the house stands on the west side of Maryland Route 669, Springs Road, in northern Garrett County.</p> <p>The house is an early-mid nineteenth century frame structure, two and a half stories high, with a stone foundation, an ell on the back, and one one story frame porch that stretches across the principal facade (east side) and along the south end. It has a metal covered gable roof whose line runs north/south and is pierced by two internal brick chimneys and a bell hung on heavy framing. The principal facade has five bays symmetrically arranged around a six panel door. The principal windows have wide frames and double-hung wooden sashes with six-over-six lights. The end walls have single sash attic windows with six lights. The exterior was covered with aluminum siding in recent years.</p> <p>A shallow two and a half story pavilion the width of the space between the principal windows projects from the north end and has small single sash, four lights windows along the sides. Now a part of the interior rooms, the original use of this pavilion, probably not original, is unknown.</p> <p>The one story porch along the facade and south end has a shed roof and chamfered posts. The balustrade has a heavy rail and squarish balusters. The porch appears to date from the time the house was built.</p> <p>The interior was altered over the years but probably retains much of its original decorative treatment.</p> <p>The building is structurally sound. Unfortunately, when the exterior was covered with aluminum siding in recent years, the trim around the windows and the roof was removed.</p>						

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8. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)

- ☐ Pre-Columbian ☐ 16th Century ☐ 18th Century ☐ 20th Century
☐ 15th Century ☐ 17th Century ☒ 19th Century

SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known)

early-mid

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

- | | | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aboriginal | <input type="checkbox"/> Education | <input type="checkbox"/> Political | <input type="checkbox"/> Urban Planning |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prehistoric | <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering | <input type="checkbox"/> Religion/Philosophy | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Historic | <input type="checkbox"/> Industry | <input type="checkbox"/> Science | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture | <input type="checkbox"/> Invention | <input type="checkbox"/> Sculpture | _____ |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Architecture | <input type="checkbox"/> Landscape | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Social/Humanitarian | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Art | <input type="checkbox"/> Architecture | <input type="checkbox"/> Theater | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Commerce | <input type="checkbox"/> Literature | <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Communications | <input type="checkbox"/> Military | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Conservation | <input type="checkbox"/> Music | | |

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

This frame house is representative of a type of early-mid nineteenth century dwelling that is commonly found throughout northern Garrett County. The houses are basically large rectangular blocks of frame construction with symmetrical facades and center hall floor plans, usually a four-over-four arrangement of rooms. Front porches appear to have been common. This house form, which is a basic plan found in the mid-Atlantic area (Pennsylvania and upper Maryland), was probably brought to northern Garrett County in the nineteenth century through the Mennonite migration from the Lancaster County area in south central Pennsylvania.

The land on which the house stands is a part of a parcel known as "Non Pariel", originally laid out about 1774 for William Deakins, Jr. ¹ (Allegheny County Deed Book 8, p. 62.) Subsequently, the property was acquired by Upton Beall et al by a patent from the state in 1800. Elisha Williams conveyed the land to Samuel Yoder in 1851. Emmanuel Hershberger purchased the site from Yoder in 1871. The present owner acquired the property in 1960 from his parents who purchased it from the Hershberger family about 1928.

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9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Allegany County Land Records, Courthouse, Cumberland, Maryland.
 Garrett County Land Records, Courthouse, Oakland, Maryland.

10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY				O R	LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING THE CENTER POINT OF A PROPERTY OF LESS THAN TEN ACRES				
CORNER	LATITUDE				LONGITUDE				
	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds
NW	°	'	"	°	'	"	°	'	"
NE	°	'	"	°	'	"	°	'	"
SE	°	'	"	°	'	"	°	'	"
SW	°	'	"	°	'	"	°	'	"

APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY:

Acreage Justification:

The form on which the house stands contains about 219 acres.

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11. FORM PREPARED BY

NAME AND TITLE:

Ronald L. Andrews, Historic Site Survey

ORGANIZATION

Tri-County Council for Western Maryland, Inc.

DATE

6/3/75

STREET AND NUMBER:

Algonquin Motor Inn, Suite 510

CITY OR TOWN:

Cumberland

STATE

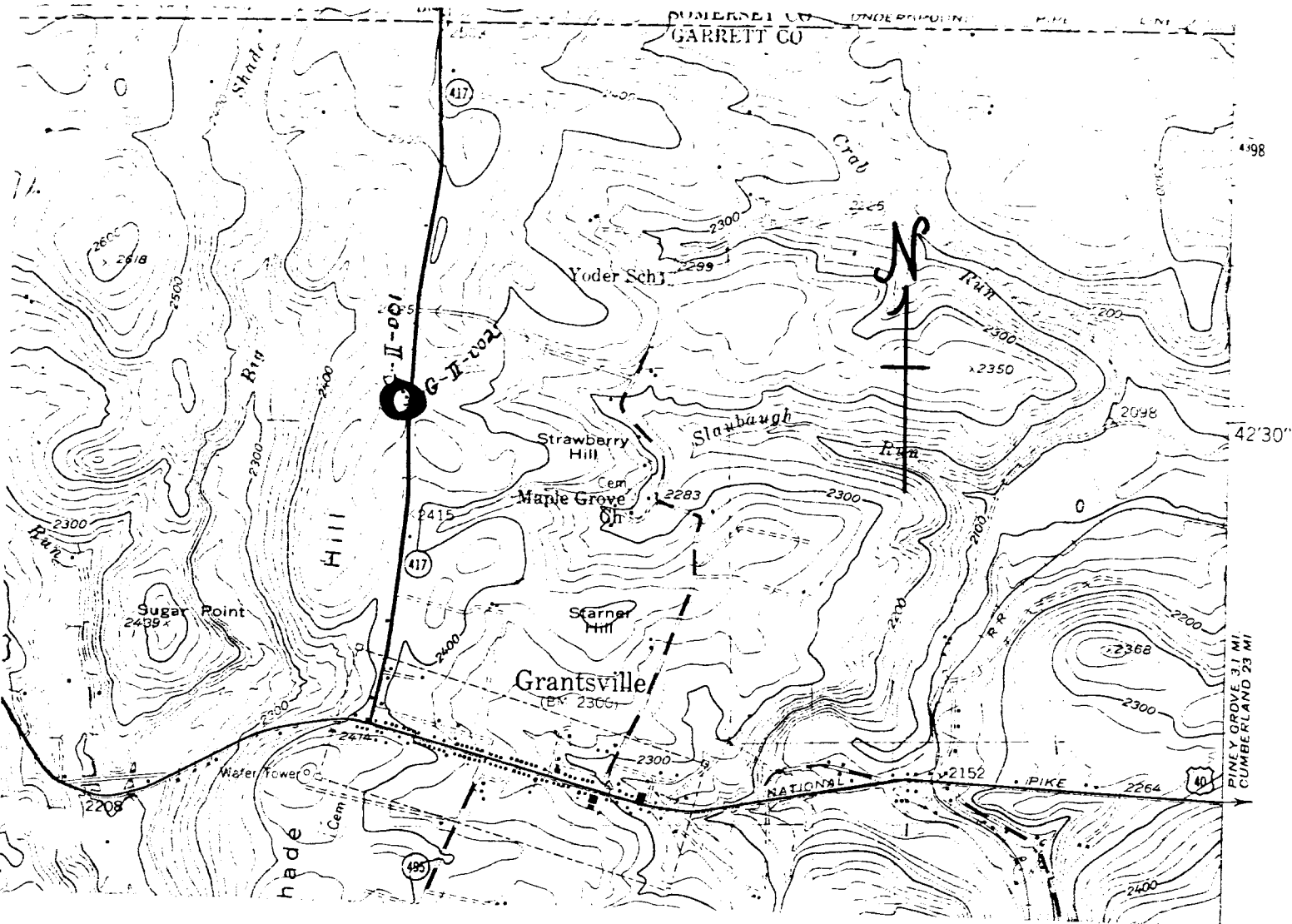
Maryland

12. State Liaison Officer Review: (Office Use Only)

Significance of this property is:

National ☐ State ☐ Local ☐

Signature



Grantsville, Md. - Pa.

7.5 Minute Series USGS

1:24000

1946

Site #: G-II-⁵001
 frame house north of
 Grantsville
 Maryland Route 669,
 Springs Road, .9
 mile north of U.S.
 Rt. 40



Schrock House

Md. Rt 669

north of Grantsville

Garrett Co, Md

SE view

1974



Schrock House

Md. Rt. 669

north of Grantsville

Garrett Co. Md

NE view

March, 1974



-Schrock House

Md. Rt. 669

north of Grantsville

Garnett Co, Md

NW view

March, 1974

ROMA W. L. WILSON



Schrock House

Md. Rt. 669

North of Grantsville

Garrett Co., Maryland

SW view

Feb., 1974



